# USPTG Serial No. 10/786,452 (Docket No. ISR-172)



# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Invention: Hotspot Spray Cooling	)
Attorney Docket No.: ISR-172	)
Serial No.: 10/786,452	)
Filed: 02/24/2004	)
Inventor: Tilton, Charles L.	)
Examiner: Unknown	<b>)</b> a
Group Art Unit: Unknown	)
Attorney/Agent: Paul A. Knight	)

To: Mail Stop Missing Parts
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Dear Sir:

## A. SURCHARGE PURSANT TO 37 CFR 1.16(e)

Pursuant to the *Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application* mailed on 05/19/2004, the applicant has include the appropriate fee of \$65.00 as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27.

#### B. PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total of one (2) months to file a Declaration signed by the inventor(s) in response to the *Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application* mailed on 05/19/2004. The granting of this extension will extend the response time until 09/19/2004.
  - 2. Applicant is a small entity.
  - 3. Calculation of the extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

Extension Time	Fee (Small Entity)		
[ ] One Month	\$55.00		
[X] Two Months	\$210.00		
[ ] Three Months	\$475.00		

4. The appropriate fee amount has been included in the enclosed payment. Authorization has been provided by the enclosed Fee Transmittal to charge any insufficient payment to the credit card as described by the enclosed Credit Card Payment Form number PTO-2038.

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### B. SIGNED DECLARATION

The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application stated that the original nonprovisional application included an <u>unsigned</u> declaration. Please find enclosed a Declaration signed by the inventor(s). The application has further included a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application as required.

Any questions regarding this matter may be directed to the attorney/agent of record, Paul A. Knight, at (509) 232-3437.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CONFIRMATION NO. 4914 FORMALITIES LETTER** 

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Date Mailed: 05/19/2004

# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

• \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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# FEE TRANSM for FY 2004

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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

✓ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 275.00

Complete if Known			
Application Number	10/786,452		
Filing Date	02/24/04		
First Named Inventor	Tilton, Charles L.		
Examiner Name	Unknown		
Art Unit	Unkown		
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)		
Check Credit card Money Other None	3. ADDITI	ONAL FEES	
Deposit Account:	Large Entity	Small Entity	
Deposit Deposit	Fee Fee Code (\$)	Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$)	Fee Paid
Account Number	1051 130	2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65.00
Deposit Account	1052 50	2052 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
Name The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)	1053 130	1053 130 Non-English specification	·
Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments	1812 2,520	1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)	1804 920*	1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee	1805 1,840*	1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after	
to the above-identified deposit account.		Examiner action	
FEE CALCULATION	1251 110		210.00
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1252 420	2252 210 Extension for reply within second month	
Large Entity Small Entity	1253 950	2253 475 Extension for reply within third month	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid Code (\$) Code (\$)	1254 1,480	2254 740 Extension for reply within fourth month	
1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee	1255 2,010	2255 1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month	
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401 330	2401 165 Notice of Appeal	
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402 330	2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403 290	2403 145 Request for oral hearing	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451 1,510	1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0	1452 110	2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
	1453 1,330 2453 665 Petition to revive - unintentional		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501 1,330	2501 · 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1502 480	2502 240 Design issue fee	·
Total Claims 20** = X = X	1503 640	2503 320 Plant issue fee	
Claims - 3" = ^	1460 130	1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
Multiple Dependent	1807 50	1807 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
Large Entity   Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	1806 180	1806 · 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Code (\$) Code (\$)	8021 40	8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	V
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809 770	2809 385 Filing a submission after final rejection	
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3		(37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1810 770	2810 385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801 770	2801 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	1
1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802 900	1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0 Other fee (specify)			
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SUBMITTED BY	(Complete (if applicable))					
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